

## **REMARKS**

### **Cancellation of claims 1 and 10-11**

The apparatus claims have been cancelled herein, and will be pursued in a continuation application. While the entry of this amendment is at the discretion of the examiner, because the amendment only cancels claims, applicants respectfully request entry of this amendment before issuance.

### **Claims 12 and 20-22**

Claims 12 and 20-22 remain in this case, and have been allowed.

### **Conclusion**

Applicants respectfully request entry of this amendment. The cancelled claims that were previously allowed will be pursued in a continuation application. The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned if this would in any way advance the prosecution of this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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